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WSDOT will <u>close all lanes of northbound Interstate 405</u> in Kirkland from 10 p.m. Friday to 5 a.m. Tuesday so crews can lower a section of the freeway.

Though a two-lane northbound bypass will be available, speeds will be restricted and heavy traffic backups are expected, especially during Monday afternoon commute hours. When traffic slows on I-405, we expect significant traffic increases on alternate routes such as I-5, SR 520 and SR 202. Throughout the weekend and especially on Monday, we ask drivers to consider carpooling, riding the bus, working from home, or even rescheduling trips.

During the closure crews will remove about 400 truckloads of pavement and other material on a section of northbound I-405 under the NE 124th Street bridge to lower the lanes about three feet. Then new pavement will be placed and striped. Lowering the freeway ensures all traffic will have adequate vertical clearance under the NE 124th Street bridge when new access ramps for buses, carpools and vanpools are completed.

SR 9 closed north of Woodinville this weekend

WSDOT and contractor Wilder Construction will close State Route 9 at 233rd Place SE from 10 p.m. Friday, June 23 to 5 a.m. Monday, June 26 to complete a local sewer improvement project. During the closure, traffic will follow a <u>signed detour route</u> using SR 522 and SR 524 (Maltby Road). Drivers should expect delays and plan accordingly.

King County's Wastewater Treatment Division is funding the project, and WSDOT is managing the installation of the sewer line because it is taking place within the limits of our <u>SR 9 widening project</u>. We need to complete this work now so crews won't have to dig up the newly widened lanes at a later date.

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